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THE AFRICA REGIONAL AMERICAN STUDIES CONFERENCE, THE 5TH AND LAST OF THE REGIONAL BICENTENNIAL AMERICAN STUDIES CONFERENCES, OPENS SUNDAY, JULY 25, IN THE CONFERENCE CENTER OF THE HOTEL IVORIE, ABIDJAN, IVORY COAST. THE 37 CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS, REPRESENTING 13 AFRICAN NATIONALS AND THE UNITED STATES, WERE WELCOMED TO THE IVORY COAST BY UNCLASSIFIED

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MISS MARIE-THERESE SANGARET, SECRETARY-GENERAL OF UNIVERSITY OF ABIDJ

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THE AMERICAN AMBASSADOR TO THE IVORY COAST ROBERT S. SMITH WELCOMED THE DELEGATES ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN MISSION. PROF. BOIN WINKS, BCICA CHAIRMAN, RETRACED THE HISTORY OF THE FIVE REGIONAL CONFERENCES AND WELCOMED THE GROUP ON BEHALF OF THE BCICA COMMITTEE. THE OPENING ACADEMIC SESSIONS, WHICH FOCUSSED ON TH THEMES, "AMERICAN REVOLUTION IN CROSS CULTURAL PERSPECTIVE" AND "AFRICAN PERSPECIVES ON THE IDEA OF REVOLUTION AND FREEDOM" FEATURED LIVELY, WIDE-RANGING DISCUSSION. THE CONFERENCE ENDS WEDNESDAY, JULY 28.
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